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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: POLYETHYLENE GLYCOI METHOD OF MAKING	. SATURA	ATED SUBSTR	RATE AND

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

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